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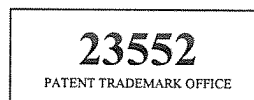
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	WEI ET AL.	Examiner:	UNKNOWN
Serial No.:	10/714,836	Group Art Unit:	1751
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Title:	BINDING AGENT FOR SOLID BLOCK FUNCTIONAL MATERIAL		

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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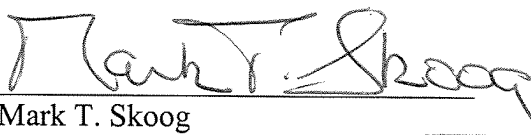
Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination.

Please charge the amount of \$790.00 to cover the required fee for a large entity to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,
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